

***Amendments to the Specification***

**[0021]** Nozzle 10 includes a body 14, a tip 16, a tip surrounding piece or tip retainer 18, a heater 22, and may include an optional thermocouple 26. The body 14 has a body melt passage 28 that passes therethrough. The nozzle 10 includes a viscosity seal 48 which is a seal made between two surfaces which do not contact each other.